**To:** Pietrykoski, Thomas[Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

From: Sebastian, Chris

**Sent:** Wed 6/12/2013 9:10:05 PM

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project

adjacent to Lyndhurst

Likewise, we'll be in touch soon with more details.

One note – we are going to try to have all the arrangements wrapped up by 7/2 or so.

Many will be out on 7/3, and we are all out on 7/4 AND 7/5 (because of sequestration), and then the weekend.

Thanks.

**From:** Pietrykoski, Thomas [mailto:Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, June 12, 2013 5:08 PM

To: Sebastian, Chris

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

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Fantastic. Thanks for your help with this, Chris! Looking forward to a successful event.

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From: Sebastian, Chris [mailto:Sebastian.Chris@epa.gov]

**Sent:** Wednesday, June 12, 2013 5:07 PM

To: Pietrykoski, Thomas

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

Lyndhurst

Exactly – will get you precise location shortly.

From: Pietrykoski, Thomas [mailto:Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

**Sent:** Wednesday, June 12, 2013 5:00 PM

To: Sebastian, Chris

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

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11 sounds perfect. I assume it will be somewhere in Riverside County Park?

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From: Sebastian, Chris [mailto:Sebastian.Chris@epa.gov]

**Sent:** Wednesday, June 12, 2013 4:57 PM

To: Pietrykoski, Thomas

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So if the event is, say, an hour start to finish, then 11:00?

From: Pietrykoski, Thomas [mailto:Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, June 12, 2013 4:41 PM

To: Sebastian, Chris

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Perfect! He's heading to DC in the afternoon, so it would have to be morning. I say somewhere between 10-12 would be best.

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From: Sebastian, Chris [mailto:Sebastian.Chris@epa.gov]

**Sent:** Wednesday, June 12, 2013 4:36 PM

To: Pietrykoski, Thomas

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

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Ok we are good to go for Monday 7/8!

Any time contraints that day?

From: Pietrykoski, Thomas [mailto:Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

**Sent:** Wednesday, June 12, 2013 4:07 PM

To: Sebastian, Chris

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

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Awesome! Thanks Chris.

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From: Sebastian, Chris [mailto:Sebastian.Chris@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, June 12, 2013 3:55 PM

To: Pietrykoski, Thomas

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

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Hey, I just let Lisa know because I was pretty sure she had already reached out to Artie (and she had) – so she's calling again now.

Thanks for the heads up on the disconnect, hopefully this gets worked out shortly.

From: Pietrykoski, Thomas [mailto:Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, June 12, 2013 3:51 PM

To: Sebastian, Chris

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

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Hey Chris - Just spoke to Artie and he said he hasn't heard from Lisa. Is there something specific she needs before we set a date for this? I'd like to resolve this as soon as we can so we don't lose the date. Thanks! - T

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From: Sebastian, Chris [mailto:Sebastian.Chris@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, June 11, 2013 2:39 PM

To: Pietrykoski, Thomas

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

Lyndhurst

Hi Tom – I understand that Lisa P has a call in to Artie to discuss, and that he is out today, so I am hopeful this all gets resolved tomorrow.

Will keep you posted, thanks!

From: Pietrykoski, Thomas [mailto:Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 11, 2013 2:32 PM

To: Sebastian, Chris

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

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Hey Chris - Any update? I'm just concerned because July is filling up quickly. Thanks! - T

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From: Sebastian, Chris [mailto:Sebastian.Chris@epa.gov]

Sent: Monday, June 10, 2013 3:37 PM

To: Pietrykoski, Thomas

Subject: RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

Lyndhurst

Hi Tom, just wanted to let you know that we are kicking this around and will figure it out in the next day or so – thanks.

**From:** Pietrykoski, Thomas [mailto:Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov]

Sent: Thursday, June 06, 2013 11:33 AM

To: Sebastian, Chris

**Subject:** RE: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to Lyndhurst

Hey Chris - We are definitely interested. Since Congress is in session that week, Mr. Pascrell will be in DC on 7/9. He is available July 1, 2, 8 (am only) and 15. Let me know if any of these work. Thanks! - T

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From: Sebastian, Chris [mailto:Sebastian,Chris@epa.gov]

Sent: Thursday, June 06, 2013 10:26 AM

To: Pietrykoski, Thomas

Subject: FW: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

Lyndhurst

Hi again Tom – we are now shooting for July 9 – please let me know the Congressman's availability/interest – thanks!

From: Sebastian, Chris

**Sent:** Monday, June 03, 2013 4:43 PM **To:** 'Thomas.Pietrykoski@mail.house.gov'

Subject: FW: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

Lyndhurst

Hi Tom – ps, re below – I'd like to check the Congressman's availability for a public press event to kickoff this project, on either the morning of Tuesday, July 9 or Thursday, July 11.

Thanks!

From: Sebastian, Chris

Sent: Monday, June 03, 2013 4:27 PM

Subject: June 5 Public Information Session regarding the upcoming Passaic River dredging project adjacent to

Lyndhurst

When: Wednesday, June 5th, 7-9 pm.

Where: Lyndhurst Senior Center, 250 Cleveland Avenue, Lyndhurst, NJ

What: A public information session consisting of a presentation and Q&A followed by an opportunity to meet one-on-one with representatives of the EPA, Cooperating Parties Group (CPG) and other government agencies.

Why: Starting in late Spring 2013, a cleanup project will begin in an area of the Passaic River adjacent to Riverside County Park North and Thomas F. Gallagher Memorial Recreation Area. This work is being done by the Lower Passaic River Study Area CPG with oversight by EPA. The work will include removal of approximately 20,000 cubic yards of contaminated sediment from the River bottom over a period of about eight weeks. Work is expected to take place 12 hours a day for six days a week. After dredging work is completed, a cap will be installed in the dredged areas. Both dredging and capping work is expected to be completed by this Fall.

More information about this project à http://www.rm109.com/

Thanks and please let me know if you have any questions.

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